

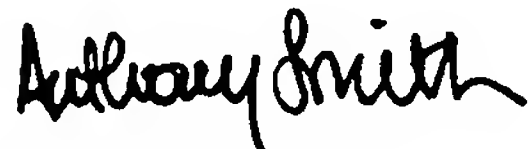
CONCLUSION

For the reasons above, the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) is **DISMISSED** as **MOOT**.

The declaration filed on 28 January 2008 is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497.

The application has an international filing date of 22 December 2003 under 35 U.S.C. 363 and a date of 28 January 2008 under 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4).

The application is being returned to the International Division for processing as the U.S. National Stage of the above-identified international application.



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